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Nazi Reprisal For Raid On Cologne

BRITAIN'S CATHEDRAL CITY BOMBED

R. A. F. Sweeps Over Belgium And Northern France

LONDON, June 1.

The R. A. F. daylight offensive over Northern France continued to-day. One big force went across the sunlit Straits east of Folkestone about noon and more formations in the direction of Calais an hour later.

Last night British fighters destroyed three German aircraft over aerodromes from which they were raiding Britain. Runways, and goods trains were also attacked.

FOUR SWEEPS OVER OCCUPIED AREAS

R.A.F. fighters made four sweeps over Occupied France and Belgium this morning and afternoon, states the Air Ministry, in the afternoon many squadrons, including Hurricane bombers, attacked Bruges Docks. Two Nazi planes were destroyed. Nine British fighters are missing, but one pilot is safe.

Cologne Enveloped In Smoke Still

British reconaissance planes today found that clouds of smoke over Cologne following Saturday night's big raid were still so dense that photography was hopeless.

The Great R.A.F. raid on Cologne is expected by political observers to have big repercussion on the morale of the people of Rhineland. Hundreds of thousands of homeless people are being evacuated and the rich are anxiously praying for transfer to safer districts.

British Press Jubilant

"The World's Biggest Air Raid" is the lead story in every London and Provincial newspaper this morning. Banner headlines photographs, maps, cartoons and leading articles are all used to tell one of the greatest stories of the war. Air Marshal A. T. Harris who a month ago promised the time would come when "we will put over such a force, that the Germans will scream for mercy "is shown at his desk planning the raid, while Air Vice-Marshal Baldwin who flew with his men to see for himself and who is the highest ranking R. A. F. Officer to go on a raid is photographed smiling a smile of satisfaction. Some of the crews are shown drinking tea just before setting out.

In one paper there is a chart of 125 rows of eight stars rising like the stories of a skyscraper from a photograph of the Rhine river at Cologne in order that people may realise the vastness of the Armada that flew that night. On all sides the phrase in Mr. Churchill's message of congratulation "City by City" is played up.

Swedish Comment

STOCKHOLM:—Swedish papers give great prominence to the Cologne raid publishing the news under such headlines as "Tremendous Damage in Cologne After Frantic Night Raid", "Cologne Raid the Greatest in the History of Air War", "Cologne Has War's Worst Raid".

"Wonderful Exhibition"

Describing the R. A. F.'s raid on Cologne as a "wonderful exhibition" the Commanding General of the United States Army Air Force, Lieut.-General Arnold, stated to-day: "The sooner we have them going over every night the sooner the effect of war will be felt by Germany". American crews will fly American planes as American units except in emergency.—Reuter.

BR. CRUISER SUNK

LONDON, June 1.

The Admiralty announces that the cruiser 'Trinidad' (Captain L. S Saunders) has been sunk. The next of kin of the casualties has been informed.—Reuter.

Reprisal Raid On Canterbury

Three Nazi Planes Shot Down Over South-East England Town

BERLIN, June 1.

A communique to-day says: "As a reprisal for the attack on Cologne a strong German bomber force last night bombed Canterbury".

LONDON:—In the early hours of Monday morning under brilliant moonlight the Luftwaffe carried out a reprisal raid on the famous Cathedral town of Canterbury.

Authoritative comment on the Canterbury air-raid announcement was: "No doubt the Cathedral was one of the enemy's objectives. It is not proposed to assist the enemy by giving any information as to whether damage was caused to it or not".

CHURCHES HIT

An explosive bomb scored a direct hit on a Church and windows were blown in from the blast of other bombs. The killed included the town clerk and A.R.P. Controller, a bomb scoring a direct hit on his house. The gutted buildings still smouldered in the June morning sunshine in many parts of the ancient city.

Some buildings which have stood through centuries, making Canterbury one of the most beautiful towns, have gone, nearly all victims of fire which surged through Canterbury's narrow streets as the raiders dropped hundreds of incendiaries. One church is a burned out ruin still smouldering. As German bombers were still overhead its spire crashed with a terrific roar into the flames.

SAVAGE RAID

Many business premises were gutted. A boys' and girls' secondary school was gutted. Considering the savage nature of the raid, the casualties are believed to be light. Most people were warned by flares and had already gone to shelters.

The German raiders came over between 1 a.m. and 2 a.m. in three waves. As soon as they crossed the coast they were met by heavy anti-aircraft fire. One plane was seen to plunge across the sky in flames. The raiders came in low and could be seen clearly in the brilliant moonlight. R.A.F. night fighters went up at once to engage the raiders. A large number of National Service pumps and firemen from the surrounding districts fought the flames. Most fires were under complete control by daylight.

The considerable number of people rendered homeless are being fed by emergency kitchens organised at once, while defence officials from neighbouring towns are busy helping Canterbury's own A.R.P. organisation which has been working magnificently and stood the test well.

The new Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. William Temple and Mrs. Temple who were in Canterbury during the raid are safe.—Reuter.

South-East England Town Raided

An Air Ministry Communique on Monday morning states: "Shortly after midnight enemy aircraft made a raid on a town in South-Eastern England. Most of the damage caused was in the shopping and residential district in which some fires were started. A number of casualties have been reported. Three enemy raiders were destroyed during the night".

INDIAN REFUGEES ON THEIR WAY FROM BURMA on the road from Shwebo to Kalewo. Their belongings are carried in bullock carts provided by friendly Burmans.

Axis Military Conference

Marine Affairs To Loom Large At Berlin

TOKYO, June 1.

The "Nichi Nichi Shimbun" reports to-day that a military conference of the Axis Powers is to be held shortly in Rome. "Co-operation among the Axis Powers in Marine affairs will apparently constitute the main subject of discussion." it says.—Reuter.

CHURCHILL'S WAR STATEMENT AFTER WHITSUN RECESS

LONDON, June 1.

When Parliament reassembles after the Whitsun recess, the Prime Minister is expected to make a statement on the war situation. The statement is likely to cover the latest position in Libya and the recent bombing attack on Cologne and the Russian situation. The last time Mr Churchill addressed the Commons was when he announced the capture of Diego Sauraz.—Reuter.

WINDSORS IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, June 1.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor arrived in Washington early this morning.

They were met at the station by the British Minister, Sir Ronald Campbell, who escorted them to the Embassy where they are staying as the guests of Lord and Lady Halifax.

Later the Windsors were the guests of honour at a family luncheon at the White House

A Government spokesman declared that the President and Mrs. Roosevelt received the Windsors "as old friends". The Duke will discuss with Government officials economic and defence problems affecting the Bahamas.—Reuter.

BRITISH POLICY TOWARDS SPAIN

MADRID, June 1

The British Embassy in its "Bulletin de Information" issued to Spanish officials, denies rumours "of enemy origin" of supposed British intentions of aggression against Spain and categorically declares Great Britain "has no other desire or intention than full respect for Spanish sovereignty and maintenance of continual cordial relations".—Reuter.

SABOTEURS AT WORK IN PRETORIA

PRETORIA, June 1.

Half a dozen fires, apparently caused by saboteurs using incendiary materials, broke out in various parts of Pretoria on Sunday night.—Reuter.

GESTAPO CHIEF TAKES OVER A. R. P. SERVICES

LONDON, June 1.

It is learned in London that owing to the big British raid on Cologne, Himmler has issued a decree assuming control of the entire A. R P. services in Germany.—Reuter.

BEST STRIKE CALLED OFF

Committee Appointed To Represent Case Before Adjudicator

"In view of the appointment of an adjudicator by the Government of Bombay to settle the dispute between the employees and the B. E. S. T. Company this meeting resolves that the strikers should resume work from to-morrow morning." This decision was taken by the Executive Committee of the B. E. S. T. Traffic Union on Monday evening.

Following the above decision the tram and the bus drivers and conductors who were on strike were adviced to resume work by their leaders at a public meeting held at Chowpatty later in the evening. Miss Shanta Bhalerao presided.

Miss Bhalerao and other leaders addressing the gathering explained to the men the decision taken by their Executive and said that it was desirable that the workers should resume their work in order to create a proper atmosphere for the adjudication.

Mr. N. M. Joshi also addressed the gathering.

A committee of four persons consisting of Miss Shanta Bhalerao, Messrs. S. C. Joshi, Bhalchandra Mehta and Hifazat Hussain was formed to represent the case of the workers.

The workers present at the meeting endorsed the decision and thus has come to an end the city traffic strike.

62 CZECHS SHOT

BERNE, June 1.

Altogether 62 Czechs were shot last Saturday and Sunday including 50 in Prague and 12 in Brunn, according to reports from Prague received here.—Reuter.

SOFIA TREASON TRIAL

ROME, June 1.

The Bulgarian General Zainoff was today sentenced to be shot for high treason, says a Sofia despatch. He is alleged to have carried out espionage for a foreign power. Of the two alleged accomplices one was sentenced to death and another to life imprisonment. Three others were acquitted. A man sentenced to death with General Zainoff is now living abroad.—Reuter.

DURHAM MINERS BACK AT WORK

LONDON, June 1.

Thousands of miners who had been on strike in Durham and Yorkshire are back at work following appeals from their leaders and President of the Board of Trade to return pending negotiations.

At one time, ten thousand were estimated to be idle through wages disputes.—Reuter.

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Chiang's Appeal For U.S. Aid

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NEW YORK, June 1.

In a broadcast to the United States today, General Chiang Kai-Shek, the Chinese Generalissimo, gave the pledge that "given ten per cent of equipment put out by America, the Chinese army will give you 100 per cent results. Morale must be supplemented by mechanised equipment if victory is to be attained," he said. "But final victory is certain and China is determined to resist at all costs. "In looking forward to the future, he added, "I would like everyone listening to realise our Chinese people are convinced that the principles enunciated in the Atlantic Charter are not empty diplomatic phraseology."—Reuter.

On Burma-Yunan Frontier

BOMBAY, June 1.

In Western Yunan, the Chinese captured an important point.

Fighting is reported to be in progress between the Chinese troops and the newly arrived Japanese reinforcements from Wanting on the Burma-Yunan Frontier.—Reuter.

JAPANESE LAUNCH NEW OFFENSIVE

CHUNGKING, June 1.

A Chinese "communique" tonight stated, that Shenghsi had been captured by Chinese troops and Guerilla Forces are working behind the Japanese lines in cooperation with the local population.

The Communique also reported that the Japanese have launched a new offensive northward from Canton. Japanese columns started moving out from Tsngchin, Shenkang and Sinial. They were intercepted by Chinese near Fengchun.—Reuter.

RANGOON DOCKS BOMBED

NEW DELHI, June 1.

Northern and Southern Burma were attacked by heavy bombers of the U.S. Army Air Corps during the past two days

Rangoon was their main objective, the docks and shipping there being bombed. One tanker was sunk and others damaged. Ten Japanese night fighters attacked the U.S. aircraft without result.

On May 29 and 30th, other American heavy bombers concentrated on Myitkyina in Northern Burma. They inflicted heavy damage to runways and bombed aircraft on the ground. No Japanese aerial or ground opposition was encountered. From these operations all the U.S. bombers returned safely.—A P.

Brazilian Ship Torpedoed

WASHINGTON, June 1.

The Navy Department announced that a medium-sized Brazilian merchantman was torepdoed in the Carribean. The survivors have landed in an east-coast port.—Reuter.

4 SHIPS TORPEDOED

WASHINGTON, June 1.

Four ships were torpedoed in the Eastern United States waters, the Navy Department announced on Monday.—Reuter.

Nazi Commander Taken Prisoner In Libya

INITIAL VICTORY FOR BRITAIN

R.A.F. Destroys Axis Transports: Attacks Enemy Bases

CAIRO, JUNE 1.

It is officially stated that General Ludwig Cruewell, Commander of German Afrika Corps, is a prisoner.

It was stated authoritatively this afternoon that Axis forces in Libya are not yet defeated, but it is certain that British armoured forces have scored an initial victory at Knights-Bridge.

PARTIAL NAZI SUCCESS

LONDON, June 1

Authoritative circles in London to-day stated that the situation in the Libyan battle was that yesterday the enemy had swept two channels through the British minefields in order to bring in supplies and now he is using these channels in order to get himself out. In this the enemy has been partially successful.

General Ludwig Cruewell, who has been taken prisoner, is a Rhinelander fifty years of age. In previous operations by General Rommel, he commanded the German Afrika Corps. In the Yugoslavia campaign he commanded a Panzer division.

Nazi Tank Losses

CAIRO:—It is authoritatively stated that Axis forces have failed in their first objective, namely, to take Tobruk. They have been made to change their plans and are now concentrating forces while keeping open the gaps through the minefields to the west.

It is revealed here that Lieutenant-General C. W. M. Norris commands the British 30th ar-Knights-Bridge. Lieutenant-General W. H. E. Gott commands the British 13th corps,

It is by no means certain yet exactly where the enemy is endeavouring to concentrate his main armoured forces in view of the considerable number still east of the allied line, but it is evident that he is withdrawing for concentration chiefly around the minefield gaps. The Germans lost score upon score of wrecked tanks, vehicles and equipment at Knights-Bridge.

Battle Of The "Gaps"

To-day's Middle East Communique says: "Since noon on May 30 the enemy has been trying to concentrate his main armoured forces to the westward and has for this purpose been making use of two gaps he has made in our minefields roughly on the alignment of Trigh-Capuzzo.

The enemy, though attacked continuously by our armoured forces and the R. A. F., has partially succeeded in his purpose and has established a considerable force of anti-tank artillery in position covering the gaps with the object of preventing their being closed by our armoured forces. The gaps are under continuous artillery fire and R. A. F. attack.

A large proportion of the remaining enemy tanks and transport is still east of the minefields and is being attacked by our troops and air forces. General Ludwig Cruewell, Commander of the German Afrika Corps, is prisoner after his reconnaissance plane was shot down in our lines".

R. A. F. Active

To-day's R.A.F. 'communique' states: "Continuing intensive operations in support of our land forces, our aircraft were constantly in action on Sunday, May 31, against enemy mechanised forces in the battle area in Cyrenaica. Enemy opposition both in the air and on the ground was again marked, but our attacks both by bomber and fighter aircraft were maintained with outstanding effect.

Transports Destroyed

Many enemy transport vehicles were destroyed and damaged and although our fighter effort was principally directed against enemy land forces, several clashes developed over the battle area. In the course of these, three Junkers 88's and one Messerschmitt 109 were shot down, while other enemy bombers and fighters were probably destroyed.

During Saturday night, May 30 to 31, bomber aircraft raided enemy landing grounds at Martuba and objectives in the Tmimi area.

During Sunday night, May 31 to June 1 the Derna area was subjected to a heavy attack large fires were observed among the dispersed enemy aircraft.

Over Malta And Sicily

In 24 hours ending noon, Sunday, May 31, enemy activity over Malta was on a reduced scale. One Italian fighter was shot down on Saturday afternoon, May 30, while our night fighters destroyed one Cant 1007 during Saturday night, May 30 to 31.

Objectives in Messina in Sicily were raided during the same night. Nineteen of our aircraft are missing from operations, but three pilots are known to be safe.—Reuter.

Rommel's Order-Of-Day

CAIRO, June 1.

The Order-of-the-Day issued by General Rommel to the Axis troops in Libya on May 26 on the eve of "decisive attack" against the British has fallen into allied hands.

It read: "The armoured army of Africa in the course of great operations moves to-day to decisive attack against the British mobile forces in Libya. For this purpose a force of superior numbers has been made ready and equipped with perfect armament and a powerful air force to give support to the fight. The high quality and warlike ardour of the Italian and German soldiers combined with the superiority of our arms guarantee victory."—Reuter.

SPECULATION ABOUT VICEROY'S COUNCIL

Dr. Ambedkar And M. N. Roy In Running

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, June 1.

Last minute changes in the list of new appointments for the Viceroy's Council appear to be still going on. According to the latest reports, the probable changes are as follows:— N. R. Sarkar as Commerce Member Vice Sir Ramaswamy Mudaliar nominated to War Cabinet; Sir A. F. Rahman, Education Member, vice Mr. N. R. Sarkar, Sir Sultan Ahmed as both Law and Transport Member, Dr. Ambedkar as Information Member, Sir Mahomed Usman as Defence Member, Sir Jogindar Singh, or a non-official European as member for the bifurcated Communication Portfolio. The name of Mr. M. N. Roy continues to be mentioned for the Civil Defence Membership vice Mr. Ragavendra Rau.

As no decision appears to have been taken so far for creating the Production Membership, nothing definite is known about Sir Shanmukham Chetty coming into the Viceroy's Council. Recommendations of the American Technical Mission are still under discussion between New Delhi and Whitehall

In this connection the visit of Sir Archibald Carter to England has also been the subject of comment.

The Jamsahib of Nawanagar is likely be invited to go to London as member of the War Cabinet on behalf of the Indian States.

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Public Notices

BOMBAY TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the DEBENTURE STOCK TRANSFER REGISTER and the REGISTER OF DEBENTURE STOCKHOLDERS of the above Company will be CLOSED from the 17th day of June, 1942, to the 30th day of June, 1942 (both days inclusive) for preparation of Interest Warrants.

A. L. TERRY,
Asst. Secretary.
Bombay, 2nd June, 1942. 8609

SYDENHAM COLLEGE OF COMMERCE, BOMBAY

COLLEGE RE-OPENS 20th June. Admissions to First Year Class made from 8th June onwards. For Prospectus apply to the PRINCIPAL. 8603

NOTICE.

WANTED the following for permanent appointment in Jodhpur State. Candidates should submit their applications along with copies of testimonials so as to reach the Principal Medical Officer, Jodhpur on or before the 16th June, '42.

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HARGOVANDAS LAKHMICHAND COLLEGE OF COMMERCE, AHMEDABAD

THIS COLLEGE, which is affiliated to the University of Bombay for the I. Com. and B. Com examinations re-opens on 20th June, 1942. Students wishing to join should apply with an advance of Rs. 20/- and may see the Principal between 12 and 3 p. m. in his Office in the College building near Navarangapura, Ellisbridge. Limited hostel accommodation is also available for which a separate application with a deposit of Rs. 5/- is necessary.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. HAMIDKHAN KHAN ABBASKHAN, Mahomedan inhabitant and Popatlal Laherchand, Hindu inhabitant the executors of the last Will and Testament of Bai SAKINABAI, daughter of Allibhai Nathoo, of Bombay, have contracted to sell to my client the undermentioned property.

ALL persons having any claim against the said property by way of Mortgage, gift, sale, lease, trust, lien, charge, maintenance, easement, incumbrance or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his Office at Mahendra Mansion, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

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Dated this 1st day of June, 1942.

Mr. RAMCHANDRA T. KARNIK,
Purchaser's Attorney.
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Legal Notices

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 885 of 1940.

THE EAST & WEST INSURANCE CO., LTD., .. Plaintiffs.
Vs.
JANARDHAN KESHAV HALDANKAR and Ors., ... Defendants.

To,
JANARDHAN KESHAV HALDANKAR, Esq.,
Defendant No. 1.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have appointed 3 P. M. on Wednesday, the 17th June, 1942 to tax the plaintiffs bill of costs pursuant to the Preliminary Mortgage Decree herein dated 17th July, 1940 when you should attend at my Office in the High Court premises, Bombay.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1942.

(Sd.) A. N. VESUWALA,
Assistant Taxing Master.
Messrs. MINOCHEHER MANCHERSHAH HIRALAL & CO.,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
(8615)

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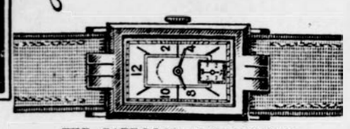

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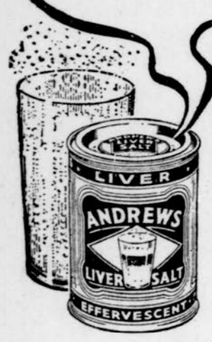

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City And Suburbs

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS To-day

Hindu : Adhik Jeth Vad 3, 1998
Muslim : Jamadi-ul-Avval 17, 1361
Parsi : Den 1, 1311
Sunrise : 5-2 a.m. Sunset : 7-10 p.m.
Hightide : 1-40, 14-33. Lowtide : 7-40 20-48
WEDNESDAY, June 3.
Corporation meeting at 3-30 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

METRO—"Babes on Broadway" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"Louisiana Purchase" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
BROADWAY—"Choka Mela" 4-15, 7 and 10 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Saugand" 3, 6-15 and 9-30 p.m.
REGAL—"Helzapoppin" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
CAPITOL—"It Started With Eve" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
MINERVA—"Station Master" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Bharat Milap" 2-45, 6 and 9 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Pahila Palna" 3-30, 6-15 and 9 p.m.
PLAZA—"Apna Ghar" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
KORINOOR—"Amrit" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
NEW WEST END—"Khan-Daan" 3, 6 and 9 p.m.
HIND-MATA—"Ujala" 4-30 7 and 10 p.m.
AURORA—"Road to Zanzibar" 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PALACE—"The Chocolate Soldier" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"The Guest" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
CHITRA—"Doctor" 4, 6-45 and 9-45 p.m.
LAMINGTON—"Rai Saheb" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
NOVELTY—"Duniya Ek Tamasha" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Masoom" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.

PRESS NOTIFICATION : Telegrams to Bahrain should be routed via I.R.C.C. and those for Muscat will be accepted via Karachi.

IMPROVEMENTS COMMITTEE OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION : There will be no meeting of the Improvements Committee to-day (Tuesday).

CULTURAL SOCIETY OF FRIENDS OF SOVIET : To-day (Tuesday), meeting of volunteers at 7 p.m. at the Girgaon Office (Stone Building, Charni Road).

DISCOURSE ON JNANESHWARI : Mr. D. V. Sabnis, will give a religious discourse on Jnaneshwari in Marathi to-day (Tuesday), at 7-15 p.m. at Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, 64, Portuguese Church Street, Dadar (B. B. & C. I.) Bombay.

B.P.C.C'S. URGENT MEETING : An Urgent Meeting of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee will be held to-day (Tuesday), at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the Congress House.

THE GATHA SOCIETY : A public meeting of the Gatha Society will be held to-day (Tuesday), at 6 p.m. (S.T.), at the K. R. Cama Oriental Institute, 136, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, when Dasturji Bode will speak.

SONGS OF U. S. S. R

All-India Radio is broadcasting a programme of Ukrainian music tomorrow (Wednesday), at 9-30 p.m. This is the third instalment of the songs of U. S. S. R., the previous two instalments being the songs of Central Asia and the songs of Caucasus and Georgia.

The present programme consists of Ukrainian folk-dance, music, folk songs and popular songs.

Ukraine plays an extremely important role in the art-life of U. S. S. R.

Cost Of Living At Jalgaon

The working class cost of living index number for Jalgaon with the average prices for August, 1939, equal to 100, was 152 for April.

Concessions To Soldiers' Children

The Secretary of the Bombay Provincial Soldiers' Board, Poona, has been authorised to issue certificates of eligibility to those entitled to the educational concessions granted by the Bombay Government to children of men on the active list in the naval, military and air forces whose terms of service include liability to serve overseas in a theatre of war.

Parents not sending their children to school now but who wish to do so on account of those concessions should apply to him through the Collector of the District, giving the necessary information about their children.

Mamlatdars have also been authorised to issue such certificates in cases where the details can be verified by them locally without difficulty.

'Yugantar' To Restart Publication

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Marathi weekly Yugantar, the organ of the Radical Democratic Party, published uptil now from Poona, will henceforth be published from Bombay, Mr. V. B. Karnik and Mr. G. P. Khare will be Editors and Mr. B. N. Ambardekar will be Managing Editor according to the new arrangement. The first issue of "Yugantar" under this new arrangement will be out on the 7th of June 1942, and then it will be published regularly every Sunday. The Bombay Office of "Yugantar" will be situated at Ratilal Mansion, Parekh Street, Girgaon, Bombay 4.

PVB

P. V. B. CAMP AT MATUNGA

Mr. Ashok Mehta, G.O.C. of the Peoples Volunteer Brigade declared open the P.V.B. Camp of the Matunga Circle at the premises of the South Indian Association, Bombay, on Monday night. The Camp would continue till Saturday and every night instruction will be imparted to members on the various aspects of P.V.B. services.

'C' Ward P.V.B. Camp And First Aid Exam

'C' WARD P.V.B. Camp will be started on Thursday 4th June at Keshav Bag, Princess Street from 9 to 11 p.m. P.V.B. volunteers may hand in their names at the office on or before 4th inst.

The First Aid Test will be held on Wednesday 3rd inst. at New Bhatia Mahajan Wadi and Keshav Bag Princess Street from St. T. 9 to 10 p.m. First Aid Volunteers are requested to be present in time.

THE PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER BRIGADE : On behalf of "D" Ward P.V.B. Mr. G. V. Joshi will take A.R.P. class from today (Tuesday), at the Saraswat Colony, Anandashram, Procter Rd. in Circle No. 7 at 9 p.m. Those who desire to be trained are requested to meet Mr. B. K. Kombrabail, F/5, Anandashram, Procter Road, Bombay 7.

P.V.B'S. PROPAGANDA MEETING : Under the auspices of the "G" Ward P.V.B., a public meeting will be held today (Tuesday), at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the DeLisle Road B.D.D. Chawl, when Shri S. K. Patil, General Secretary and Shri Asoka Mehta, the G.O.C. of the P.V.B. will address. Dr. T. B. Naravane will preside.

RELIEF FOR INDIAN EVACUEES

Move To Form Central Organisation

ADDATKANAL, June 1.

Mr. S. Satyamurti, President, Indian Overseas Central Association New Delhi has issued the following appeal :—

I am receiving several letters from friends and associations, interested in the work of organising relief to the Indian Evacuees from Malaya and from Burma, now in India, that a central All-India organisation should be formed to organize that relief in a systematic and well planned manner. I have reason to believe that the Government of India will welcome the formation of such an organisation and cooperate with it. I invite all friends and associations interested in this matter to communicate their ideas promptly to Sri C. L. Patel, Hon. Secretary Indian Overseas Central Association, Reading Row, New Delhi.

As the matter is very urgent I hope with the co-operation of all friends and associations to announce a tentative constitution and composition of this committee some time by the middle of June. Then the committee will meet in some central place and frame its final constitution. I request the prompt co-operation of all friends in this matter.—A. P.

SECRECY OF MILITARY UNITS' MOVES

Quaint Repercussions

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes :—

The secrecy which is maintained regarding moves of military units sometimes has quaint repercussions.

A Maharatta battalion left India for "Overseas" and finally found itself bivouacked south of a large lake. When it had left these shores it had a pretty shrewd idea where its sister battalion was in a different contingent to its own.

Imagine the men's surprise, therefore, when a Staff Officer cheerfully told them that the bivouac on the other side of the lake which they could see was inhabited by their sister battalion. This was a welcome opportunity to get news of each other's friends and a regular ferry service was arranged, ferrying over large detachments of one battalion and bringing back similar detachments of the second battalion. By the time they moved everybody in each battalion had met everybody in the other battalion.

It gives some idea of the speed and secrecy of moves that the next time the sister battalion was heard of, it was out of the continent altogether.

Another Mahratta battalion fell on its feet lately. This Battalion found itself in a certain area where the Governor, although he himself had never been to India, was the son and grandson of Commissioners from the Deccan and was delighted to find a battalion coming from that area. From the accounts coming back from this Battalion he has given them a grand time and they have been well entertained.

Scouting At Abrama

Pakvasa Opens Classes For Women Workers

ABRAMA, June 1.

"This training in scouting is not meant for your own self but for dedicating yourselves to the service of the humanity and particularly to the poor who are in millions in this country," observed Mr. Mangaldas Pakvasa, President of the Bombay Legislative Council, opening the Scouting Class of the All-India Women's Conference Workers Training Camp, at Abrama yesterday.

The speaker continued "To-day you are on the commencement of your Scouting activities. I trust you will realise what scouting is when you go through the training course. When scouting activities. I trust you will perhaps not realise the difficulties in fulfilling them, but let me invoke the blessings of God that He will endow you with strength and courage to carry out your pledge."

Mr. Gunvantarai Bhatt, Scout Commissioner of Gujarat Division of the Hindustan Scout Association, in conducting Scouting Class for the Campers. The All-India Women's Conference Workers Training Camp will be closing down by June 15 next. Training in A. R. P. will be imparted to the students this week and Mr. Gole of the Bombay Government A. R. P. organisation has come here for the purpose.—United Press.

TROTSKITE "RED" ARRESTED IN CITY

For distributing leaflets of the "Bolshevik Communist Party (Fourth International)" Abdul Rahim son of Abdul Rahiman was arrested by the Police under the Indian Press (Emergency) Powers Act.

It was stated that the accused distributed these leaflets at a Chaupatty meeting of the B.E.S.T., strikers. The leaflets, it is alleged do not bear the name of the Press or the Printer.

The accused was allowed bail by Mr. D. S. Babrekar, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court to-day.

Newspaper Security Reduced

The Government of Bombay has reduced the amount of security required from Mr. Yusufally Gulam Hussein Surti, publisher of the 'Salahkar' newspaper of Bombay, from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 500.

ON THE AIR

TUESDAY, JUNE 2.

Delhi I—Programme

338.6 metres (886 kc/s)

4 p.m. For troops in Burma. 5 Pratap Singh and party. 5-15 Mashuq Ali Khan. 5-30 Anwarbai. 5-52 Paideep on sarangi. 6-30 Mohammad Husain. 6-45 Benazirbai. 7 Mashuq Ali Khan. 7-15 Kitabon Ki Baten. 7-30 Afzal Husain. 7-35 It has happened. 7-40 Dilip Chandra Vedi. 8 For the Universities. 8-15 For villagers only. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-45 Listening post. 9-50 Anwarbai. 10 The Lahore Radio Club. 10-35 Benazirbai.

Bombay I—Programme.

244 metres (1,231 kc/s)

7-30 a.m. Sundrabai. 7-50 News in Hindustani. 8 News in English. 8-10 Vinodini Desai. 8-25 V. A. Kagalker. 8-50 News in Marathi. 9 News in Gujarati. 9-10 Jafar Qawwal. 9-20 R. V. Joshi. 12-30 p.m. Sindhi songs. 12-57 News in Hindustani. 1 Gujarati songs. 1-30 News in English. 1-35 Lunch hour music. 5 To-morrow. 5-5 R. V. Joshi. 5-20 Sundrabai. 5-30 B. C. Mukerji. 5-40 News in Marathi. 5-45 News in Gujarati. 5-50 R. V. Joshi. 6 News in English. 6-10 Counter-attack. 6-15 News in Hindustani. 6-25 Local news and announcements. 6-30 Children's half hour. 7 Our Ally. 7-15 V. A. Kagalker. 7-45 News commentary. 7-50 Jafar Qawwal. 8 Vinodini Desai. 8-10 News in Marathi. 8-20 News in Gujarati. 8-30 Inside Japan. 4. 8-45 Radio Reconnaissance. 9 News in Hindustani. 9-15 News commentary in Hindustani. 9-20 News in English. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-45 Listening post. 9-50 War commentary. 10 Shanti Seldon. 10-15 Interlude. 10-20 Hazel David. 10-30 Ernst Politzer.

Bombay II—Programme

41.44 metres (7,240 kc/s)

7-30 to 7-50 a.m. As in Bombay 1. 7-50 Hamid Husain. 8 Jafar Qawwal. 8-10 to 8-50 As in Bombay 1. 8-50 Recitations from Gujarati poems. 9 B C. Mukerji. 9-10 to 9-30 As in Bombay 1.

41.44 metres (7,240 kc/s)

12-30 to 2-25 p.m. As in Bombay 1.

41.44 metres (7,240 kc/s)

5 to 7-15 p.m. As in Bombay 1. 7-15 Interval.

61.48 metres (4,880 kc/s)

7-30 p.m. Commercial news. 7-45 to 8-10 As in Bombay 1. 8-10 Sundrabai. 8-30 to 9 As in Bombay 1. 9 Air Orchestra. 9-10 Jafar Qawwal. 9-20 B. C. Mukerji. 9-30 Sundrabai. 9-45 Vinodini Desai. 10 Mami Nuraj. 10-25 V. A. Kagalker.

Sir R. P. Paranipye To Lead N.W.F. In Poona

POONA, May 31.

Mr. R. P. Masani, Provincial Leader of the National War Front announced at a meeting of prominent citizens held at Gokhale Hall, Poona, this evening that Sir Ragunath Paranjpye had accepted district leadership of the Front for Poona. Sir Ragunath said that there would be an office of the front in Poona and with the help of leading men of all communities the message of the Front would be carried to every part of the district. He appealed for cooperation in his work.—A. P.

TRAINING OF WARDEN-INSTRUCTORS. The Secretary, A.R.P. Committee, Kalbadevi, writes :—

The Warden-Instructors' Course No. 2 will commence on Wednesday, (3rd inst.) instead of the 2nd inst. at the premises of the Sitaram Poddar Balika Vidyalaya Vidya Bhuvan, Fanaswadi instead of 'Gamadia Parsi Girls' School, Princess Street, as stated before, from 6-30 p.m. to 7-30 p.m. (S.T.).
Press.

NOWEGIAN KILLED IN CAR ACCIDENT

BOMBAY, Monday.

Mr. Louis Deonnesev, a Norwegian, (31) Chief Officer on board the Norwegian ship S. S. "Agnes", now lying at Victoria Docks, Bombay, was knocked down by a motor car at Queen's Road to-day at 12-30 a.m. driver by one D. S. Cowan.

He was immediately removed to the St. George's Hospital where he died at 2-20 a.m.

Inquest has been adjourned to 3rd instant.

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WILLIAM EVANS (Byculla)

Time: 6 to 12 a.m. 4-30 to 8-30 p.m.

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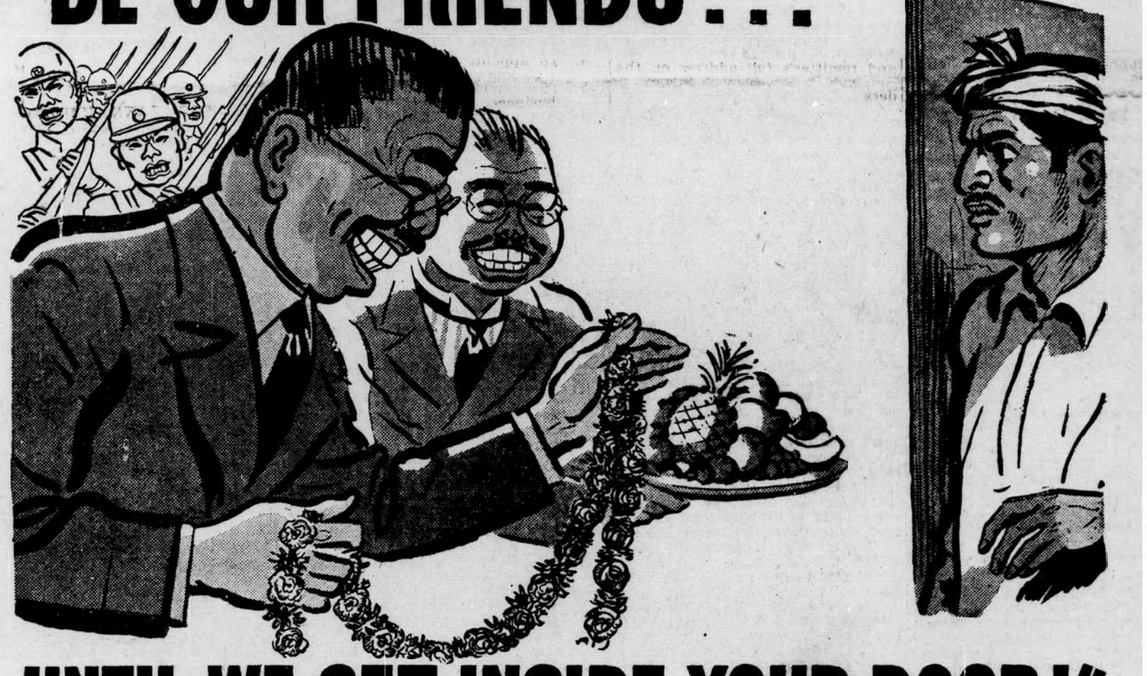

UNTIL WE GET INSIDE YOUR DOOR!"

JAPANESE 'FRIENDSHIP' IS A NEW METHOD OF MAKING WAR. Never believe the Japanese are coming to India for our benefit. They have a new way of making war, and we must learn it quickly and beware of it. Their honeyed words, their promises on the Radio, their rumours spread by agents in our midst, all have one object only—to deceive us, weaken us, entice us to open the door to the Japanese soldier—for *his* benefit!

But instead of a welcome the Japanese soldiers will meet death in India. Aircraft and guns and troops are waiting to strike at them. Even our villager will hinder them in his crafty way. Are *you* ready to give *your* help in the rear? If we 380,000,000 people fight and work and use our brains together, we can never be beaten. Start today!

REMEMBER CHINA!

Remember the things the Japanese have done in China, in the name of their promise of "liberation"! It is no good giving in to the Japanese if you want to keep a whole skin and a wife who is only yours—as the Chinese found out. The only answer to Japanese "friendship" is to fight. For 5 years the Chinese have given that answer. Behind the line of their armies their women are safe, courage is high, and they are shaping a new life for China.

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FOOD SUPPLY

The question of sufficient food supply for the civil population deserves more serious and sustained attention than it has so far received, Mr. R. L. Nopany, President of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Calcutta, stated the plain truth when at a meeting of the Chamber last week he said: "To assure regular supplies of foodstuffs and of the other indispensable necessities of life to the masses is the first essential for maintaining public morale, which in its turn is as essential for the defence of the country and for ultimate victory as military successes". Even in normal times the total production of food grains in India is insufficient and the deficiency is only partly met by imports of rice from Burma and Siam and of small quantities of wheat from Australia. It is notorious that even in normal times a large part of the country's population suffers from perpetual semi-starvation. But now that imports of foodstuffs are practically stopped, the position is getting serious. And in the words of Mr. Nopany, "no consideration, howsoever important in itself, can justify the export, even in small quantities, to other countries of such a primary necessity as food grains, which, on the Government's own admission, still continues".

Shortage Of Salt

It is deplorable that in several parts of the country, particularly in Bengal, Bihar and Assam an acute shortage of even salt is apprehended. In a letter to Gandhiji Babu Rajendra Prasad says of his recent tour: "At every place it has been impressed on me, both by merchants and members of the public, that a most serious situation is developing with regard to supply of salt. A big shortage in salt is apprehended at almost every place that I have visited; and unless immediate steps are taken it may cause great hardships and sufferings to the people, particularly to the poor, who very often have to depend only on salt to enable them to gulp the coarse food they can somehow manage to get". Rajen Babu adds that what is feared is much more serious than mere high prices, namely, more or less total disappearance of salt from the market and grocers' shops. He has found that orders placed by the merchants are not executed by the people at centres like Kheora and Shambhar. What is true of salt may be nearly as true of several other necessaries of life. There has been a sad dislocation of normal economy caused not only by shortage of foodstuffs but also by difficulties of transport and defective price control.

Government's Duty

The question now is how to meet the crisis. Several Provincial Governments, it must be conceded, are making fair attempts in this direction. But to be effective these attempts should be more comprehensive and liberal and should be such as to enlist more co-operation from the public. As Mr. Nopany observes, the "Grow More Food" campaign, inaugurated by Government, welcome as it is, will not be effective, unless it includes loans for buying seeds, irrigation facilities, dissemination of knowledge about change of crops, and such other facilities. The question of salt needs special attention. Rajen Babu suggests the following Government measures to ensure a regular supply of salt: (1) a regular supply of waggons, (2) a fair distribution of available stock, (3) opening new sources of supply of salt, and (4) removing all restrictions on the manufacture of salt from sea-water at sea-coast and from earth in the interior. Gandhiji, while endorsing these suggestions, reminds the public that the manufacture of salt for home consumption is covered by the Irwin-Gandhi Pact but rightly suggests that in view of the present extraordinary conditions, the provisions of the Pact should be made more liberal. It will be a good plan for Provincial Government to entrust the work of food supply to district committees consisting of non-officials as well as officials and to give liberal grants to these committees.

A Historic Raid

A new phase in the present war opened on Sunday last with the R. A. F. raid on Cologne. This raid was unique in two respects. It was the greatest in the history of air war in point of numbers of aircraft and weight of bombs. No fewer than 1,250 were in action, full one thousand of them concentrated on a single city, Cologne. Their numerical strength was more than twice that of the greatest force ever sent out by the Germans and the weight of bombs dropped, by them was four times as great. Full details are not yet available but it is already clear that Cologne has suffered many times more in horror and destruction than did Coventry or Bristol or perhaps even Rotterdam. Modern war is a horrible, brutal and inhuman business—an ironic commentary on man's progress and civilisation. But it is as inevitable as it is deeply regrettable. Thousands of men, women and children must have lost their lives and homes on Sunday night as thousands have done in so many British, Russian, Dutch, Polish and Yugoslav towns. They deserve the sympathy of every humane person, but their fate is unavoidable. It is war waged by modern weapons and they must also recognise that their own leaders are mainly responsible for the horrors to which the world has been condemned.

The second feature of this raid which has made history is that it was carried out by the R. A. F. After over two years of blood, toil, tears and sweat the British have come out demonstrably and devastatingly on top at least in the air. The fact that was performed on Sunday night, important enough in its actual achievements, is more portentious as the harbinger of things to come. It is, of course, not to be supposed that it can be repeated every night yet. But even a weekly raid on the Cologne scale, which has been proved to be possible and probable, will be terrible enough in its consequences to Germany. And what would be the state of affairs when the British organise more frequent four-figure blitzes and when, moreover, the Americans join in the operations with hundreds of their own super-heavy bombers! Air Marshal Harris said some days ago that if he could send over a thousand bombers every night over Germany, it would end the war by the autumn. He was not exaggerating. Meanwhile, Nazi leaders have been given something, three thousand tons of explosive and devastating something, to think about in the midst of their actual and imaginary triumphs. It must cause them terrible anxiety regarding not only their war machine but also the morale of their unfortunate people. Theirs is a grievous fate, one shudders to think of what they are in for.

British Labour And India

From their bitter experience of the past two years and more, the people of this country have little reason to expect anything more than lip-sympathy from the present leadership of the British Labour Party for their national aspirations, nor are there any signs to show that the rank and file of the working classes in Britain are getting more and more impatient daily over the failure of the Churchill Government to solve the Indian problem. Major Attlee has as completely merged his identity in the Tory-cum-National Government as did Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and, in consequence, has falsified whatever hopes may have been raised in India by his inclusion in the Cabinet. Other front rank leaders of the Party have shown little understanding of the Indian problem. The remark of Mr. W. H. Green, who presided over the annual Conference of the Party at Westminster, that "India's leaders had sacrificed the substance for the shadow", betrays either gross ignorance on his part of the real issues between the Indian leaders and the British Government or a lamentable incapacity to understand the Indian point of view. The failure of the British Labour leaders to rise to the occasion, is regrettable, especially in view of its professions about justice, freedom and democracy. While the Conference of the Communist Party of Great Britain has just demanded the re-opening of negotiations with the Indian National Congress for the formation of a representative national Government "with full powers," the Labour Annual Conference has called upon the British Government and the people of India to make further effort to reach a rapid and satisfactory settlement. The Communist Party in Britain, however, has very little following.

Frankly Speaking

American Production

A Washington report gives ground for confident belief that what was regarded as President Roosevelt's fantastic programme of production for the current year is going to materialise to the full. Planes, including the Flying Fortresses, and tanks are now coming out in colossal quantities. The same must be the case with other arms and material. There was one serious problem to which frequent attention had lately been drawn in America and elsewhere: shipping. The Washington report says that the crucial stage of getting ship production into full stride is now passed, which is very welcome news. If American production achieves the success that is now expected, it is possible to hope that the Axis and Japan will be decisively overwhelmed long before the end of 1943.

China's Needs

But meanwhile? Every one of the many fronts against the Axis and Japan needs American arms and material either for unavoidable defensive reasons or for necessary offensive purpose. There is however, one front the requirements of which are particularly urgent and immediate in the interest of the entire United Nations' strategy. That front is China. China deserves assistance on the basis of first priority and deserves it now. Every thing that is happening in China constitutes an emphatic demand that an appreciable proportion of planes, bombers, fighters and transport, as also other material should be rushed to that country in an incessant stream. The Chinese are fighting the battle of the United Nations themselves and the least the latter should do is to give them the arms and supplies to fight their battle.

Turkey And India

It is officially learned in New Delhi that a Turkish Consulate-General is to be established in India and that it will probably be opened in Bombay. This is a very gratifying piece of news. Ever since the last war there has been no official contact between Turkey and India, except that, for two or three years before the beginning of the present war, an office of Turkish Commercial Attache was opened in Bombay. Mr. Turhan Boray, who was in charge of the office, did very excellent work but unfortunately the office was suddenly abolished. During the last two years Mr. Boray has, however, come to India on several occasions as a representative of the Turkish Ministry of Commerce to arrange with the Government of India for supply of Indian goods to Turkey and the import of Turkish goods here and thus the trade and commercial relations with Turkey and India have been maintained. However, the relations between the two countries require to be more intimate in other spheres also and we, therefore, cordially welcome the establishment of a Turkish Consulate-General in Bombay.

Much Talk And Little Work

There is far more talk now about the constructive programme than actual constructive work. From various platforms one hears slogans about self-protection and self-sufficiency. But what is being actually done on these lines? Babu Rajendra Prasad suggests the establishment of Panchayat Raj in India. It is a sound idea. It will be more instructive if some selected areas are organized this way and other areas are asked to emulate their example or improve upon them. Pandit Govind Vallabh Pant rightly stresses the importance of Hindu-Muslim unity and says that "every one of us should honestly strive to solve this problem." But, alas, this is the most talked of item of the constructive programme but one which is least attended to in practice. Groups of Congressmen seem most engaged in condemning the unity efforts of rival groups.

Compounders' Grievance

Some time ago we referred in these columns to a just grievance of compounders employed in municipal and local board dispensaries who were required, without expectation of any extra remuneration, to dispense medicine even after dispensary hours when they were called upon to do so by the medical officers in charge of these dispensaries, particularly when the officers had some private patients on their hands. Though the occasions when the compounders would thus be asked to work after dispensary hours might not be many in a year, yet the principle involved in making them work, without any extra remuneration, for the virtual benefit of the medical officers was open to objection. A few municipal and local boards have already adopted provisions either to remunerate the compounders or to relieve them of the obligation to compound prescriptions after dispensary hours, except in cases of real emergency. Recently the Uran Municipality has fallen in a line with these bodies. It is to be hoped that other municipal and local boards in the presidency would follow suit.

Congress Will Survive Rajaji's 'Abuse'

SATYAMURTHI REFUTES CHARGES LEVELLED AGAINST 'THE GREAT INSTITUTION' AND DEMANDS THEIR WITHDRAWAL

KODAIKANAL, June 1.

Mr. S. Satyamurthi, in the course of a statement says that he has read almost every word of Mr. Rajagopalachari's speeches for the last fortnight and that it is impossible for him to agree with him.

Mr. Satyamurthi says:

LIBEL ON CONGRESS

It is a libel on the Congress to say that they are not serious in wanting to resist Japanese aggression. Rajaji was a member of the Congress High Command, till the other day. He never dissented from them, publicly, at any rate, did he become serious in resisting Japanese aggression only when he began his new propaganda? The Congress position is perfectly clear. If India is made free today, she will resist Japanese aggression by every means at her disposal. Even if she is not, she will resist Japanese aggression by non-violent non-co-operation in all ways open to her.

CONGRESS CAN DO IT BETTER

Rajaji now suggests that with a Coalition Government he can organise the resistance of the people, unarmed as they are, better than the Congress. I deny it in toto. If there is to be no settlement between Britain and India, and if the Japanese invade India, I claim that the Congress with its great influence with the people of India can organise their unarmed resistance much better than by becoming a part of the British Government.

MAKING CO-OPERATION MORE DIFFICULT

Rajaji overworks the need for Hindu-Muslim unity and makes it much more difficult by identifying it with Congress-League unity. In so far as Hindus and Muslims are expected to co-operate in the military resistance of the Government to Japan, one finds that, though the Muslim League affects non-co-operation, all the Muslim Premiers and the Punjab Muslims, and Sir Sikandar Hyat Khan, are actively co-operating in that resistance. Similarly, the leaders of the Hindu Mahasabha, Mr. Savarkar Dr. Moonje and others are actively co-operating in that effort.

Congress-League unity cannot do anything more in that direction.

So far as unarmed resistance is concerned, the conceding of Pakistan now, will make that co-operation more difficult. Rajaji talks of unity all the time, but he has so far succeeded only in producing disunity among the Congress ranks, especially among the Congress Muslims, disunity between communities in Bengal and the Punjab and disunity throughout the country. Hindu-Muslim unity, I contend, is not the same as Congress-League unity.

"MOST UNKINDEST CUT"

Mr. Satyamurthi continues:—Rajaji's most unkindest cut against the Congress is his statement constantly repeated that the Congress had made no serious attempt to achieve Hindu-Muslim unity. I ask in reply what has not been done by the Congress except sending Rajaji as its plenipotentiary to offer Pakistan to Mr. Jinnah? Times without number, successive presidents of the Congress and Mahatma Gandhi have approached Mr. Jinnah, only to be insulted and repulsed.

"CLEAR AND UNEQUIVOCAL"

I can understand Rajaji using his subtle brain for evolving new arguments to support his untenable position but why does he quote Mahatmaji who has repudiated his views on Fakistan very clearly and unequivocally? How can chalk and cheese be the same? You have only to taste them. Why does he say that he is only saying what Pundit Jawaharlal has said, when the Pundit denounces him in very strong terms? Why does he say that he is only doing what the Congress Working Committee has done when every member of the Working Committee contradicts him? The Working Committee has not conceded Pakistan. It has only stated that in a free India, the Congress, if it is the Government, cannot think in terms of compelling a territorial unit, to join the Indian Federation against its expressed will.

What guarantee is there that, even if Rajaji's nostrum is accepted, India will get freedom or a National Government with full power? All the indications are to the contrary.

IS IT AMERY'S VOICE?

Concluding Mr. Satyamurthy says:

Since I have read Rajaji's speech in Mangalore in which he says 'inter alia' 'every great institution specially when it became very powerful, had the tendency to do things in a secret and authoritarian manner, and that was the greatest danger to the Congress.' When I read these words, I wondered if it was Col. Amery or Mr. Jinnah who was speaking. The Congress did and does nothing in secret. The Working Committee resolutions are promptly published. Even its discussions get reported in the press; so this statement by Rajaji is unworthy of him. He should withdraw the statement. If he does not, people will realise that he is carrying on propaganda not to convert the Congress but to weaken and destroy its influence on the people. The Congress will survive this abuse, but Rajaji has not enhanced his reputation to fairness by his statement.—A.P.

U. P. Charge Against 'C. R.'

Call To Check Defiance of Congress Mandate

LUCKNOW, June 1.

The Council of the U.P. Provincial Congress Committee which met again today adopted a resolution viewing with concern the propaganda that is carried out by Mr. Rajagopalachariar and opining that all such propaganda against the declared Congress policy must be checked.

The resolution stated:—

"The Council view with regret and concern that in spite of the clear and explicit decision of the All-India Congress Committee at Allahabad, against the resolutions moved by him, Shri Rajagopalachari has been carrying on a persistent propaganda on the lines of his resolutions and in defiance of the mandate of the Congress. While the Council are fully aware that the vast majority of Congressmen throughout the country is entirely opposed to the views of Shri Rajagopalachari in this matter and his propaganda is not likely to make any difference to them, nevertheless such deliberate defiance of the authority of the Congress committed is not only opposed to the discipline of the Congress but is likely to produce confusion in the public mind and divert it to matters of secondary importance at a time of growing peril to the nation, when every Congressman must devote himself to the carrying out of the programme of the Congress. The Council are of opinion that all such propaganda against the declared Congress policy must be checked."—A. P.

GREATER THE DIFFERENCE, THE MORE WE AGREE

"C. R." On 'Chalk-Cheese' Difference With Mahatma

MADRAS, June 1.

"Gandhiji has suggested in his latest 'Harijan' article that 'it should be enough to state the proposition that nothing can prevent the Muslim League from having it if the Muslims really want it. They will take it by the vote or the sword unless they will submit to arbitration'. There is no real difference between this position and what I entreat the Congress to accept. It is not chalk and cheese but six of one and half a dozen of the other", said Mr. Rajagopalachariar in an exclusive interview to the United Press on Gandhiji's latest article in the 'Harijan' on his move.

Continuing he said: "Yet imagined difference and opposition based on it mean a disunited people and the continuance of national weakness and peril to the country in the face of the armed invasion which threatens to nullify and waste all achievements of the last 20 years.

"The argument that neither nationalist Muslims nor I believe that Pakistan is good for the Indian Muslims and, therefore that concession of the right of self-determination to the people of any territorial area amounts to the creation of a false atmosphere is not a correct understanding of the position. Where opinions and judgments differ and yet we must come to a conclusion without resort to coercion or anything that is psychologically equivalent to it we have sometimes to concede what we do not ourselves believe to be good. In a larger sense what another insists that he should have for himself inspite of my opinion is if he is entitled to it, a good thing for him. That is the only way for peace and evolution. There is no question of 'a false atmosphere' being created.

"In all sincerity I believe that the Muslims in India must be made to feel that where they are in a majority and they feel they are self-sufficient and insist on it they have the right to, and will have a sovereign rule in that area. It is only thus that we can evolve a co-operative patriotism of highest order in India, not by insisting on slogans or driving our differences to the edge of disaster".—United Press.

CHINA BUILDS FOR FUTURE

Education Commissioner Sargent's Impressions

NEW DELHI, June 1.

An ancient people fired by a proud sense of unity and a zeal to build up a new China, clinging tenaciously to their Universities and other centres of education and using them as agencies to build up reserves of brain power for national reconstruction after the war rather than to prepare man-power for the immediate purpose of the war—that is the outstanding impression brought by Mr. J. Sargent, Educational Commissioner with the Government of India, who returned this morning from his 20-day visit to China.

Speaking to Pressmen soon after his arrival Mr. Sargent was enthusiastic in his praise of the extraordinary courage, efficiency and cleverness with which the Chinese Universities carried on in spite of persistent enemy attempts to destroy them.

He went to China, said Mr. Sargent, at the invitation of the Chinese Government, to discuss possibilities of making cultural relations closer between the two countries. While Chinese Universities would be glad to receive Indian students reciprocally, two difficulties stood in the way. Firstly, Chinese Universities are carrying on under difficult temporary conditions and secondly instruction is given in Chinese.

The general Chinese approach to education, Mr. Sargent observed, was practical, and the object aimed at was to make education serve the country's economic needs. He recalled that he himself had endeavoured to urge that education should serve cultural and economic needs.

Probably because education was so related to economic needs in China and also because of war conditions he heard no reports of unemployment among the University Graduates in that country. He made a point of enquiring about this aspect at every institution he visited and he never heard anyone say that there was any difficulty in finding employment for those passing out of the Universities.

Among places visited by him were Chungking, Chengtu and Kunming.—A. P.

TWO OUTLAWS TO HANG

BANNU, June 1.

Torali, a notorious Banochi outlaw, and his companion, Mohd. Bux, who had recently joined the Faquir of Ipi have been convicted and sentenced to death.

It may be recalled that in a sensational encounter between a gang of tribal outlaw and police assisted by village pursuit parties, Akbar Khan, a proclaimed offender was shot dead, and Torali and Mohd. Bux were injured. The injured outlaws were captured and later sent up for trial.—A. P.

Punjab Guerilla Training Camp

LAHORE, June 1.

The first Guerilla training camp, which has been organised by the Punjab Students Federation, was inaugurated at the Forman Christian College grounds in Lahore this evening by Mr. Rajamani Patel. About 300 students including about 40 from Bengal, Bihar, Colombo, Malabar and Sind, will receive training in First Aid A.R.P. relief practice road blocking field manoeuvring, village and street fighting etc. for a period of 10 days.—A. P.

THE BOMBAY CITY AMBULANCE CORPS

According to the 11th annual report (1940) of the brigade, the total strength as on 31st December, 1940 was 47 volunteers including five warrant officers and eight non-commissioned officers. During the period under report the volunteers were trained in stretcher and platoon drills, signalling and A.R.P. work and various other subjects of the first grade course. Lectures and practical training in first-aid, Home nursing, Hygiene, Sanitation and diploma in ambulance work being the five years course were imparted by qualified instructors.

DRAVIDASTAN MOVE REASONABLE!

S. Indian Liberals Congratulate "C. R."

MADRAS, June 1.

A resolution requesting the leader of the Justice Party to call a meeting of the Executive Committee of the South Indian Liberal Federation to make necessary arrangements to convene a confederation and suggesting that Sir R. K. Shanmugham Chetti be elected president of the forthcoming confederation was passed at an Executive Committee meeting of the Madras District S. I. L. F.

The meeting congratulated Mr Rajagopalachari on the stand he had taken with regard to Pakistan and requested him to clarify his position with regard to the formation of Dravidastan from the rest of India. The formation of Dravidastan, in the opinion of the meeting was more feasible and reasonable inasmuch as the Dravidian remained a separate group from the Indians in the north.—A. P.

Rajaji's Message To Anti-Japs

GUNTUR, May 31.

Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar, has sent the following message to organiser of the anti-Japanese people's camp, Guntur:—

"I send you my most cordial good wishes. It will be eternal dishonour and folly if we now allow ourselves to be handed over as a war prize to the Japanese. I congratulate the Students Federation and the Peasants of Guntur for organising public opinion on this matter in spite of the difficulties which past shibboleths have created".—A. P.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

BERLIN, June 1.

The German Air-raid Precaution Service has been placed under the uniformed police and from now on will be known as "Air-Raid Precaution Police."—Reuter.

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A New Delhi report suggests the possibility of Comrade M. N. Roy being appointed Civil Defence Member.

It shouldn't surprise us at all. Everything comes to him who waits and works.

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"We must take back Burma; it is a part of the British Empire"—General Alexander.

Is that all the argument? But one need not wonder at the proud limitations of British brass hats.

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We gather from an Anglo-Indian correspondent that "there is no news here regarding the Pacific Charter....."

Naturally.

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At a meeting at Ahmedabad Chaudhri Khaliuduzzaman is reported to have insisted that the Muslims loved India as much as any other community but they could not put it above God and Islam.

Nor, of course, must they be permitted to put it above the——er—Muslim League. And if Chaudhri Sahib omitted to mention it was because the proposition was superlatively self-evident.

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According to a Chungking report, the Chinese had successfully burst into Kinhwa again but were forced to withdraw under gas attacks.

It's no use emphasising Japan's frequent resort to gas and embarrassing the United Nations. They cannot but fail discreetly to hear what the Chinese say so loudly.

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The British Bomber Command did make history when it sent over 1,000 aircraft to drop 3,000 tons of bombs on Cologne.

Herr Hitler, who needed on the morning after the terrible night before, as he has never needed, Eau de Cologne and he was given *feu de Cologne*.

It was inhuman an inexcusable.

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German authorities are reported to have a "good idea" of the identity of the two assailants of Herr Heydrich.

The two assailants are, of course, the hundreds of Czech men and women who are being executed.

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It is reported from Libya that General Rommel paid a visit to a captured medical post on Friday last.

It is time now that the compliment should be reciprocated and a visit paid in return to a captured General Rommel.

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"Is your wife still as pretty as she used to be?"

"Yes, but it takes her longer."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The hen should not be blamed if the egg is bad. It was good when she marketed it.

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The man who knows one thing well feels capable of giving advice on all subjects

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Marriage is a business failure when a man puts his property in his wife's name.

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Life's journey is so tiresome that a man is out of breath when he reaches the end of it.

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Of all sad words of tongue or pen the saddest are these, "Where have you been?"—from your wife.

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It isn't working for a living that hurts the average man, but the kind of living he gets for his work.

Women's University

To The Editor of The "Chronicle:"

Sir,—I crave your indulgence to publish this appeal to the public of Bombay, especially the middle-class parents who will be thinking of sending their wards to a college after the declaration of the Matriculation results. Various misgivings are current in the popular mind regarding the Karve University but I would earnestly appeal to all the guardians through your esteemed paper, that they should compare the courses offered by the S. N. D. T. Thackersey University with the possible alternatives before deciding on the further education of their wards. As is well-known the importance of the mother-tongue has been rightly stressed by this University since its inception and eminent educationists are agreed on the soundness of this principle.

Further, the question of cost has also to be considered. The authorities have recognised the fact that to-day the burden on the middle-class parent has become almost crushing to continue the education of even a single girl from the family. Thanks to the magnificent gift of late Sir Vithaldas Thackersey and the generosity of the various other donors and sympathisers the University has been able to carry on its mission successfully and the minimum fees are charged in all the institutions conducted by the University. I hope the University will attract a larger number of students but it is upto the public to shed all their doubts and get convinced by obtaining first-hand information of its working etc.—Yours etc.

B. A. VIRKAR.

N. Y. COTTON WEEKLY REVIEW

Small C. C. C. Sales

After declining on Washington uncertainties prices rallied unexpectedly on small Commodity Credit Corporation May allotments and subsidence of liquidation. According to officials of the Department of Agriculture sales of Government stocks may be withdrawn unless there is a change in the 1938 Agricultural Adjustment Act which prohibits disposal of more than 1,500,000 bales annually.

South Western producers are reported to be pressing for legislation for readjustment of 1942 acreage allotments involving reassignment of unused quotas which was recently rejected by Mr. Wickard.

Cotton goods were inactive. Sentiment became more cheerful after W.P.B. assurances that the proposed mercantile tayen tory control would not be effective for several months and would be modified.

Traders are marking time pending developments.

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, June 1

Most encouraging war news of British Blitz over Germany was mainly responsible for the firmness of the local cotton market to-day. New York cotton market was closed on Saturday and the local market was expected to open at Rs. 179 for Broach July/August delivery but the market opened steady at Rs. 181/4 and declined to Rs. 180.8 under scattered realising but the small setback attracted buyers and prices advanced to Rs. 181/8. The market is acting with confidence. Trading in New crop months has not commenced as yet. The new rules and Bye-laws will have to be passed by the general body and when passed by the Government trading will commence under the name of Indian cotton hedge contract. The premium for the new hedge contract is expected to be over Rs. 75 per candy.

There was active general buying and Broach J/A delivery advanced to Rs 184/8. The rise was checked at this level with some realising and prices steadied at Rs. 184. There was further active buying and prices advanced to Rs. 186 and steadied at Rs 185/8. The market closed at 4-30 p.m. as under :—

BROACH July/August	Rs.	185	4 0
OOMRA July		166	8 0
BENGAL July		148	8 0

COTTON ROOM RATES

Bombay, June 1

	Extra Sprfine	Sup Fine	FG	Good
M G Bengal U P		153	150	147	144
M G Punjab		153	150	147	144
M G Rajputana		159	156	153	150
M G Oomra No. 3	166	163	150	157	
M G C P No. 1	194	191	188	185	
M G C P No. 2	178	175	172	169	
M G Broach No. 2		186	182	179	176
M G Punjab-American		255	252	249	246
M G Surat		330	327	324	321
M G Rajpipla		325	322	319	316
M G Navsari		335	332	329	326

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Bombay, June 1

	Old.	Ready
Bengal	125-30	149/50
Berar	140-45	165/66
C. P. 1	145-50	184/86
C. P. 2	140-45	174/76
Khandesh	120-30	.....
Mugtai	125-30	.....
Broach	130-35	175/77
Broach Low	120-25	.....

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES

Bombay, June 1

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

Since 1st Sept.

In full-pressed bales.

	30-5-42.	This year	Last year
Khandesh	219	78,074	98,799
Central India	.....	30,055	137,388
Barsi and Nagar	.....	53,090	113,151
Hyderabad/Gaorani	.....	16,804	44,359
Berar	.....	177,689	362,937
Central Provinces	.....	87,515	75,856
Total Oomras	219	443,227	832,490
Dholeras	.....	31,083	90,905
N W Provinces	.....	1,425	1,305
Rajputana	.....	402	5,571
Sind-Punjab	236	406,299	521,614
Broach	.....	318,209	287,988
Coompta & Dharwar	96	20,230	91 589
Westerns-Northerns	1,961	18,927	83,146
Cocoanada	.....	.....	239
Tinnevelly & Cambodia	198	13,805	3,428
Arrived by road to 28th May. 1942	.....	92,500	303,133

COTTON PARITY

Broach July/August below New York July 1,213 cent points at exchange rate 331.

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, May 30

Broach July/August highest 180 lowest 177 1/4 closing 178 3/4

Oomra July highest 163 1/4 lowest 161 3/4 closing 162 1/4

Bengal July highest 148 lowest 144 closing 146

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, June 1

On Saturday, London and New York markets were closed. London gold was quoted at £8-8-0. Dollar sterling cross rate was 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2. London silver was quoted at 23 1/2d. London Bombay spot and forward silver parity was Rs. 62-10-3. The local market was quietly steady with a moderate business passing. Quotations were as under :—

GOLD

Ready	Rs.	48	10 0
1st Jeth		48	8 0
Sovereigns		37	2 0

SILVER

Ready		80	14 0
1st Jeth		77	14 0

LINSEED AND WHEAT

Bombay, June 1

The linseed market was strong to-day with active buying and quotation registered a sharp rise. It is said that some big operators are free buyers in up-country markets. At the close September quotation was Rs. 7-7-9. There was no forward business in wheat.

GROUNDNUT & SEEDS

Bombay, June 1

Groundnuts August—			
Opening	52	8	0
Highest	53	13	0
Lowest	52	8	0
Closing	53	5	0
Cottonseeds September—			
Opening	29	0	0
Highest	29	2	0
Lowest	28	14	0
Closing	28	15	0
Castorseeds September—			
Opening	49	2	0
Highest	50	4	0
Lowest	49	0	0
Closing	50	0	0

BOMBAY METALS

Bombay, June 1

Yellow metal sheets	Rs.	95	0 0
Copper sheets	Rs.	127	0 0

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Active General Buying

Bombay, June 1

The local share bazar was very steady to-day with general buying. The market was influenced by successful air attack over Ruhr, Rhineland and Cologne by British bombers. The market was in a constructive mood and while operators are acting with caution there was impressive investment buying which pushed up prices. Cotton Mill shares as usual remained in front and Steel shares which were neglected found increased activity. Tata Steel Defds opened at Rs. 1465 in forward section and improved to Rs. 1470. At this level there appeared some liquidation and price sagged to Rs 1460. In the cash section Steel Defds opened at Rs 1410 and soon advanced to Rs 1440 under investment demand and after steadied at Rs. 1435. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 277 and after advancing to Rs. 282 steadied at Rs. 281. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1141 and rose to Rs 1156. Century Mill shares were firm at Rs. 440 and Morarji Mill shares the most favourite looked up to Rs. 565. Associated Cement shares were steady at Rs 164.

The general feeling is moderately bullish and we look for increased support on all recessions.

COTTON MILLS

Bombay Dyeing 1170; Central India ord 352; Century Mills 447; Colaba Land 179; Finlay 201; Gokak 265; Kohinoor 480; Morarjee Goculdas 565; New Great ord 275 Phoenix 356; Simplex 205; Svadeshi ord 414; Swan 193.

CASH

Ahmd Advance 320; Bharat 67; Dawn 710; E D Sassoon def 2/13; Hindoostan 2415; Indore Malwa 312/8; Khatau ord 268.12; Lakshmi Cotton 728/12; Madhowji 15/4; Minerva Mills 131/4; Model Mills 223/12; Sassoon Silks 87; Sholapur 6439; Vishnu Cotton, ord 1575; Western India 1580; Poddar 200.

STEELS

Tata Steel ord 281; Tata Steel defd 1440; Tata 1st pref 190; Tata 2nd pref 126; Indian Iron and Steel 24/6; Steel Corpn of Bengal 15/4.

ELECTRICS

Andhra Valley ord 1590; Bom. E. Tram ord 131/4; Tata Hydro ord 166/4; Tata Power ord 149.

CASH

Ahmedabad Elect 186/4; Ajmere Elect 13/14; Bombay Suburban 175; Bom Tram pref 131/4; Broach 14/4; Karachi 187/8; Poona 210; Surat 185/10.

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock Ashdown 472; Associated Cement 164/4; Belapur sugar 237; Bombay Burma Old 22p; Indian Bleaching 158; Premier Const 116; Shivrajpur 35.

CASH

Bom. Burma New 70/10; Br. Burma Petrol 1/4/9; Burma Corporation 1/12; Indian Radio ord 340; Indian Copper 2; Ind Invest. Trust 47; Port Canning 80; Scindia Steam 19/15; 5 per cent Tata Chem 16/4; Tata Oil 51/8; Western I Match 216/4.

BANKS

Bank of India 139; Bank of Baroda 114; Central Bank 45/4; Imperial Bank 1540; Reserve Bank 104; Union Bank 6/4

RAILWAYS

Ahmd Prantej 90k; Central Provinces 110; Guzerat 103; Sialkot 114; Sind Light 75/8.

INSURANCE

Empire of India 695; Indian Mercantile 60; Jupiter ord 14/2; New India 49/12; Oriental Govt Sec 3825; Vulcan 9/8.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, June 1

Sentiment was bullish on the market today and prices showed an impressive rise. Tata Deferreds, which stood previously at 1395, advanced to 1450, while Tata Ordinaries were better off at 283, showing a rise of about Rs. 9. Bombay Dyeing jumped up to 1170. Indian Irons also improved to 24-6, and Bengal Steels ruled better at 15-4.

The following were the important quotations on the Exchange, to-day :—

Tata Deferreds (1395) 1435 45 35 60
Tata Ordinaries (274) 281 83 81 83
Tata Ordinary 283; Tata Deferred 1450; Indian Iron 24/6; Steel Corpn of Bengal 15/4; Bombay Dyeing 1170 Central India 351/14; Century 447/8; Gokak 256/4; Kohinoor 480; Simplex 205; Andhra Valley 1600; Tata Hydro 166/4; Tata Power 1495; Associated Cement 164/8 Belapur 236/14; Bombay Burma (old) 225.

GOVT. SECURITIES

Bombay, June 1

2 3/4 per cent 1948-52 95/8
3 1/2 per cent G P Notes 91/1
3 per cent 1951-54 Loan 96/14
3 per cent 1949/52 Loan 97/14
3 per cent 1963/65 91
4 per cent 1960-70 Loan 104/14
4 per cent 1943 Bonds 101/13
3 per cent War Bonds 100/8
3 1/2 per cent 1947 50 Loan 101/6
4 1/2 per cent 1955 Loan 109/8

TAX FREE LOANS

5 per cent 1945-55 Loan 107/4
4 per cent 1953-63 Mysore 113
5 per cent 1965 Mysore 122

CORPORATION DEBENTURES

4 per cent B P T 1947 101
4 per cent M Deb 1947 105
5 per cent M Deb 1959 111
6 per cent M Deb 1954 121
6 per cent K P T 1956 117
Tone :—Firm

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, June 1

LONDON :—
Banks buying 90 days/St 1/6 9/32 Two months
Banks buying 90 days/St 1/6 5/16 Three months
Banks buying 90 days/St 1/6 5/16 Four months
B.C. Rates :—T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16
Banks selling T T 1/5 31/32 D D 1/5 31/32
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/32 D D 1/6 5/32
NEW YORK :—
Banks selling T T Rs 332 3/4; D D Rs 332 3/4.
Banks buying T T Rs 329 1/2; D D Rs 326 1/2
MONTREAL :—
Banks selling T T Rs 302 1/2; D D Rs 302 1/2
Banks buying T T Rs 297 3/4; D D Rs 294 3/4.
BERNE :—
Banks selling T T Fcs 126 3/4; D D nil
Banks buying T T Fcs 131 1/2; D D nil
STOCKHOLM :—
Banks selling T T K 123; D D K 123
Banks buying T T K 128; D D K 128
MEXICO :—
Banks selling T T Rs 67.27; D D Rs 66.27
Banks buying T T Rs. 63.04; D D Rs 62.04
LISBON :—
Banks selling T T Esc 7.35 nominal; D D Esc 7.35 nominal
Banks buying T T Esc 7.55; D D Esc 7.55
AUSTRALIA :—
Banks selling T T 1/10 3/8; D D 1/10 3/8
Banks buying T T nil; D D 1/11 3/8
Tone of Sterling Exchange :—Steady
Gold £8-8-0 Ready
New York Silver 35 1/8
London Silver 23 1/2 Ready; 23 1/2 Forward.
London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent
London Discounts 6 months 1 1/8 per cent
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent
Money :—Call 1/4 per cent
1 month 1/2 per cent
2 months 3/4 per cent
3 to 8 months 1 per cent.
Tone :—Easy

WHEAT CROP IN BOMBAY

The Department of Agriculture Bombay, has issued the following final Memorandum on the wheat Crop of the Bombay Province (including Indian States) for the season 1941-42 :—

On an average of the five years ending 1939-40 the area under wheat in the territory to which this forecast reates has represented 6.2 per cent of the total area under the crop in the whole of India.

During the same period the ratio of irrigated wheat area to total wheat area in British Districts of the Bombay Province has averaged 11.3 per cent. The ratio this year is 12.9 per cent.

The figures for the year under report (i.e. 1941-42) shown in this forecast, relate to the wheat crop town in October and November 1941.

(Estimates up to 1st May, 1942.)

Total Area.—The latest reports show the total area under irrigated and unirrigated wheat as noted below :—

	Bombay Province Acres.
British Districts	1,567,000
Indian States	365,000
Total	1,932,000

8.0 and 12.9 per cent respectively below the final revised area of the last year and the average actual area during the preceding ten years. As already stated in the previous reports, the area under the crop increased in North Gujarat but decreased elsewhere in the Province due to deficient late rains.

Irrigated Area.—Out of the total area shown above, 202,000 acres in British Districts and 172,000 acres in Indian States were grown under irrigation.

The total estimated outturn of the crop works out as shown below :—

	Bombay Province Tons.
British Districts	240,000
Indian States	95,000
Total	335,000

16.9 and 23.8 per cent respectively below the estimated outturn of the finally revised area of last year and the average estimated outturn of the actual area during the preceding ten years.

Out of the total estimated outturn about 36.4 per cent may be credited to the British Districts and Indian States of Gujarat and the Western India States, some 44.2 per cent to the British Districts and Indian States in the Deccan and the remaining 19.4 per cent to the Karnatak (British Districts and Indian States combined).

WALL STREET MARKET

New York, May 29

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report :—

	Dollars.
Electric Bond & Share dol 5 Pfd	43
Electric Power and Lt. Pfd	21
American Telephone & Telegraph	115 1/8
Western Union Telegraph	25 5/8
New York Central R R	7
New York Central & Hudson River R R 5 per cent 2013	50 1/2
Union Pacific	68
N Y Chicago and St. Louis 6 per cent Pfd	40
U S Steel	45 1/4
Crucible Steel	25
Bethlehem Steel	51 1/4
Texas Corporation	33
Anaconda Copper Mining	23 1/2
Int Nickel of Canada	27
Chrysler Motors	60
General Motors	36
Eaton Manufacturing	27
Sears Roebuck	52
Dupont de Nemours	109
Socony	6 7/8
National City Bank of N Y	23 1/2
Australia 5 per cent 1955	61 1/2
Homestake Mining	32
Chase Bank	25

BOMBAY YARN QUOTATIONS

Bombay, June 1

Yarn No. 6 1/2s	June 205	August 206
Yarn No. 10 1/2s	June 224	August 225
Yarn No. 20 1/2s	June 333	August 335
Yarn No. 40s	June 480	August 480

Quotations for 6 1/2s, 10 1/2s, 40s, are nominal.

Calcutta Share Bazar

CALCUTTA, June 1.

The Stock Exchange ruled steady and active. After the week-end and the volume of business was put through on a moderate scale. Government securities continued their firmness.

Following are closing prices :—

Government securities :—3 per cent defence bonds (1946) 101 small lot; 3 per cent defence loan (1949-52) 98; 3 1/2 per cent Government paper 91; 3 per cent loan 1963-65, 90.

Bank :—Imperial Bank (fully paid) 1540.

Railways :—Ahmedpur Katwa Rly. 87 c.t. Bankura Damodar Railway 87 c.t. Burdwan Cutwa Rly. 87 c.t. Darjeeling Himalayan Rly. pref 87

Cottons :—Bengal Nagpur Cotton 17/8; Cawnpore Textiles 8/12; Elgin Mills (ordy) 32/14; New Victory ordy 5/7.

Jutes :—Auckland pref 120; Nuddea 55/8.

Minings :—Indian Copper 2/1; Rhodesia Copper As. 14.

Chemical :—Bengal Chemical pref 16/8.

Electric :—Benares electric 15/1.

Eng. Companies :—Indian Iron and Steel 24/13; Jessop and Co. 17; Steel Corpn. ordy 15/10; do pref 98/8 ex div.

Miscellaneous :—Aluminium Corpn. (old pref.) 105; do ordy 11; Dunlop rubber (second pref) 97; B.I. Corpn. ordy 4/9; Indian wood products 27 ex div.

Paper Mills :—Orient paper 15/8; small odd lot; Star paper 15/8

Sugar shares :—Champaran 23/12.

Madras Share Market

MADRAS, June 1.

Market firm South Arcot electric ordy 86; Highland produce prefs 11/4; ordy 24/8; Incommercial c 49/12; Midland 8/14; Cochin Malabar ordy 9/3; Be Be 9/6. S Madras elec. prefs 1st 11/2; Mysore Chrome tanning 7/8; Ouchterloney valley ordy 3/7/6; Indian Bank small 22/8; Indian Bank big 95/8; Mettur chemical new ordy 13/8; Kalapettas 24/14; Udaygiri 9/2; Thamarapally 13/4; South Madras ordy 11/2 small lot; Rajagiri 9/6; Mysore sugar 53/4; Indian sugar and refineries pres 116; Mettur chemical prefs 107/8 S Arcot elec prefs 117/8; Buckingham and Carnatic ordy 212; Kaleswarar 344; Periakaramalai 18; Travancore rubber 11/4; Mysore tobaccos 10; Range Vilas 75; Nellianathy 1/13 small lot; Mysore paper 16/4; Mysore glass and enamel 11; Pankaja 147; Vizag elec ordy 72; Indian steel rolling ordy 5/14.

Colombo Share Market

COLOMBO, June 1.

Price of rubber in the local market was sheet 71, Crepe 72 1/4.

Saturday's closing price was the same. Copra 59.00; Coconut oil white per cwt. (naked) 21.00.—A. P.

Reserve Banks Cheques

The Government of Bombay has directed that at places where the cash business of the Treasury is conducted by a branch of the Imperial or Reserve Bank of India cheques on local banks should be accepted in payment of Government dues, such as land revenue, tagavi instalments, irrigation fees, etc.

CHEQUES CLEARED.

Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending 29th May 1942 were as under :—

Number of cheques—99,742.
Amount of cheques—18.68.27,810-14-3.

Latest Commercial

COTTON

JULY

New York, June 1.

Previous closing	19.02
To-day's opening	19.01
Difference	—.01
To-day's closing not received	

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 1.

Following are the New York opening ranges :—

July (19.05/05) not received
October (19.53/53) not received
December (19.48/48) not received

LONDON COMMODITIES

London, June 1.

SEEDS

Castorseeds Bombay June/July (unquoted) unquoted
Linseed Calcutta June/July (unquoted) unquoted
Linseed La Plata June/July (£20 3/4) £20 3/4
Groundnuts Coromandal June/July (East Coast India shipment not quoted) West Coast India shipment (£22 sellers) £22 sellers.

LONDON METALS

Electric Copper (£62) £62
Lead (£25) £25
Glassgow Iron No. 3 (131 sh.) 131 sh.

EXCHANGE:

CROSS RATES

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, June 1.

Previous closing	4.03 3/4
To-day's opening	not received

T T LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, June 1.

Previous closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's opening 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.

LONDON BULLION

LONDON GOLD

London, June 1.

London Gold (£8-8-0) £8-8-0

LONDON SILVER

London, June 1.

Spot (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d
Forward (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d

CROSS RATES

London, June 1.

London on Bombay (1-6 1/32 sellers 1-5 31/32 buyers) 1-6 1/32 sellers; 1-5 31/32 buyers
New York on Bombay (30.36) 30.36

DISCOUNTS

3 months (1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent) 1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent.
4 months (1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent) 1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent.
6 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, June 1.

The Stock Exchange was steady.

3½ PER CENT STERLING LOAN

London, June 1.

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £100 3/4 ex div.

AUSTRALIAN LOAN

London, June 1.

5 per cent 1958-68 £101

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent British Consols £82 1/2 ex div.
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan £107 1/8
2 per cent Conversion Loan £100 1/16
4 per cent Funding Loan £114 15/16
3 1/2 per cent War Loan £104 15/16
3 per cent War Loan £101 3/4
4 per cent Victory Bonds £114 3/8

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors 17-6
Marks and Spencer Ordinary 36-1 1/2
Electric Music Industry 16-6
Princhin Johnson 24-1 1/2
Imperial Chemical 33-7 1/2
Woolsworth Ordinary 53-1 1/2
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rate £79 1/2
Dundee 28-3
Unilver Ordinary 25-6
Ford Motors 25-0
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary £57 3/4
British American Tobacco Ordy £4 1/16
Carreas 'A' £5 5/16
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary £6 3/16
P and O Defd 27-7 1/2
Distillers 75-9
Bredfords Dyes 8-1 1/2
British Celanese 9-0
J and P Coates 35-9
Courtaulds Ordinary 34-3
Fine Cotton Spinners 8-7 1/2
Vickers Limited Ordinary 16-6
Inter Nickel dol 37 7/8 Ex Div.
Indian Iron 36-3

TEA SHARES

Assam 12-9
Donaro Tea 21-3
Empire of India 13-9

JUTE

Barnagore £5

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo-Dutch Rubber 9-6
Gula Kelampong 8-1 1/8
Rubber Plant Inv Trust 13-9

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug 15-0
Burma Corporation 3-4 1/2
Rio Tintos £7 3/4
East Rand Properties £1 27/32
Rand Mines £6 1/4

MINE SHARES

Crown £8 1/2
Associated Portland Cement 49-4 1/2
Trinidad Leasehold 67-6
Sub-Nigel £6 1/8
Spring Mines Split Share £1 1/16
Union Corporation 137-6

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian 36-10 1/2
Anglo-India 44-4 1/2
Burma Oil £1 3/4
Mexican Eagle 11-0 Ex Div.
Shell Transport £2 3/8
Royal Dutch £16 1/2

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary £44 3/4
London Midland Ordinary £19 5/8
London North Eastern Defd £1 7/8
London Southern Defd £15 5/8
London Transport 5 per cent £127 1/2 Ex Div.
London Transport 'C' £40 1/2

Arthur Moore Returns To Calcutta

CALCUTTA, June 1.

Mr. William Arthur Moore, Editor of the "Statesman", has returned from Chungking.—A. P.

CHINESE MINISTER ARRIVES AT CALCUTTA

CALCUTTA, May 31.

His Excellency Mr. L. I. Tieh-Tsng, the First Chinese Minister to Iran, has arrived here.

His Excellency is accompanied by his first secretary, Mr. Nietsou Wang, and his attache, Mr. Lu Shih Lung.—A. P.

The Half-Column By "Dim."

Do you remember a place called Singapore which fell, because there was no air defence?

Do you remember Malaya, another place which was lost because of the same reason?

Do you remember Burma? Only recently we were told it was a disheartening campaign? No adequate air defence?

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You must remember these as they happened not so long ago.

Do you remember Arthur Moore's bitter indictment to Lord Beaverbrook in which Arthur Moore referred to the policy of bottling-up air-defence in Britain, when it was needed so much more elsewhere?

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Think of all these details and then look back at your papers of yesterday morning once again and read the British Air Ministry's communique:

"Last night, a force of considerably over one-thousand bombers attacked targets in the Ruhr and Rhineland, Cologne was the main objective."

Said the British Prime Minister.

"I congratulate you and the whole of the bomber-command upon the remarkable feat of organisation which enabled you to despatch over one thousand bombers to the Cologne area in a single night and without confusion to concentrate their action over the target in so short a time as one hour and a half.

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The campaign was not "disheartening." General Wavell will have noted.

REFRESHING REX COOLING
Lime Juice CORDIAL

Kolhapur STATE PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

Deo Opens Second Sessinos: Kher To Preside

KOLHAPUR, June 1.

The second session of the Kolhapur State People's Conference was opened here this evening by Mr. Shankerrao Deo. More than 25,000 people attended the Conference.

Mr. B. G. Kher, ex-Premier of Bombay was elected President of the Conference.

Messages from Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Mr. S. A. Brelvi and the Rajasahib of Aundh wishing the Conference success were read.—A. P.

Kolhapur Welcomes Kher And Meherally

KOLHAPUR, June 1.

Mr. B. G. Kher President Elect of Kolhapur Praja Parishad accompanied by Mr Yusuf Meherally Mayor of Bombay Mr. Shanker Rao Deo and Kakasaheb Gadgil arrived here this morning. Messrs. Kher and Meherally were taken in procession through the town and the Praja Parishad was held at Khasbag maidan at which Mr. Meherally spoke on unity, brotherhood and the struggle for Independence.

Addresses of welcome were presented to Mr. Kher and Mr. Meherally by the municipality.

Speaking to a large gathering of people assembled on the occasion Mr. Kher congratulated the people of Kolhapur on the great changes that were in evidence in the State. Mr. Kher also unveiled a portrait of the Pate Shri Shahu Maharaj.—A. P.

NEED FOR EARLY SESSION OF CENTRAL LEGISLATURE

NEW DELHI, June 1.

Mr. Hussainbhai Laljee Deputy Leader, Independent Party, in the Central Assembly, in a statement says :—

"During the last fortnight I, as one of the members, have attended both the Supply and Defence Consultative Committees and I find a good deal is being now done, but I feel that all the members of the Legislatures should have an opportunity of having a fair idea of what is being done and also be in a position to be in contact with the Executive Government as much as possible and as often as could be in there days, and, therefore, an early short session of the Legislatures is essential, and it should be held in August next.—A. P.

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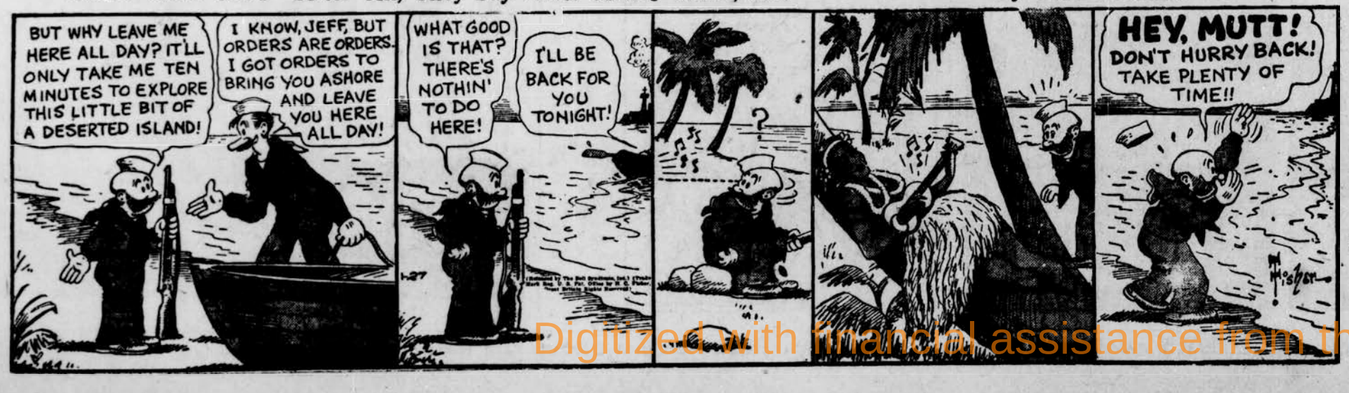
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Gigantic Encounter On Izyum Front

BATTLE WILL GO DOWN AS ONE OF GREATEST OF WAR

MOSCOW, June 1.

The fighting in the Izyum-Barvenkovo area, where Marshal von Bock launched the big counter-attack against Marshal Timoshenko's Kharkov offensive, will undoubtedly go down as one of the greatest battles in this war in terms of courage and stubbornness.

Latest reports indicate that Soviet troops have driven the Germans from a village and captured a hill forcing the enemy back to a higher one which the Nazis are now defending strenuously.

Despite the immense number of men and materials used in the Nazi attack, Soviet troops have done a splendid job in the past fortnight, preventing the enemy from overrunning them.

The Germans have succeeded in getting only one battalion across the vital river. This battalion was wiped out and the rest taken prisoner.

A front line report broadcast by the Moscow radio last night said that 27 German tanks were destroyed on one sector of this front and that over one battalion of German infantry was scattered and partly annihilated.

143 NAZI PLANES DESTROYED IN A DAY.

The Soviet midnight communique issued on Sunday states: "During May 31 nothing of importance took place at the front.

According to verified data 143 German aircraft were destroyed on May 29 and not 94 as previously reported

Our warship and air force have sunk an enemy transport of 8,000 tons in the Black Sea. In the Gulf of Finland an enemy trawler and one transport have been sunk."—Reuter.

Viipuri Raided

BERLIN.—A Finnish High Command 'communique' says that Soviet bombers last night attacked Viipuri at the eastern end of the Gulf of Finland.—Reuter.

Burma Army fighting its way back: Picture shows Gen. Alexander's Forces crossing the Chindwin river at Kalewa.

Surprise Attacks On Jap Troops

Fighting Continues In Shantung And Hopei: Thousands Of Casualties Inflicted On Enemy

CHUNGKING, June 1.

Four thousand Japanese troops landed on the Chekiang coast last Wednesday to reinforce their troops fighting in the central part of the province. Heavy Japanese troop movements are also reported outside Canton.

Chinese troops have staged a series of surprise attacks in this area on points held by the Japanese and sporadic engagements obtain at Wankong and other places along the Canton-Kowloon Railway.

Several thousand casualties have been inflicted upon the Japanese during the fighting in the West Shantung Province and in South Hopei.

Fighting continues in south Hopei and as a reprisal, the Japanese have bayoneted more than 200 civilians.—Reuter.

AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE AND BRITAIN'S POSITION

LONDON, June 1.

On the eve of his return to Australia 'via' Washington Dr. H. V. Evatt, Australian Minister for External Affairs and Attorney General has issued the following farewell message:— "I am now satisfied that the British Government and the British people have a keen appreciation of Australia's position and view point. In all quarters, there is greater awareness of the necessity for removing the enemy's threat to Australia and New Zealand. For my part, I have a clear picture of the immensity of Britain's war effort and of the courage and steadfastness which have enabled her people to save the world in the dark days of 1940. The British Government has agreed to certain of the proposals I have placed before it on behalf of the Australian Government. Obviously, I cannot discuss these in detail but I can say they express the determination of Mr. Churchill and his Government to strengthen our defences and overthrow Japan.—Reuter.

NIGHT ATTACK ON ENEMY AERODROME

LONDON, June 1.

Allied Headquarters in Australia:—The communique this morning states "Timor, Koepang:—Our air force made a night attack on an aerodrome and bombs were dropped in the target area. Poor visibility prevented observation of the results.

TIMOR, DILI:—In another night attack, our air force dropped bombs in Port Area.

NEW GUINEA, LAE:—Allied bombers struck before dawn securing direct hits on a runway in the dock area. Fires were started in the building area.—Reuter.

MOBILISE WILL OF PEOPLE FOR CONGRESS WORK

Kher's Advice To Maharashtra Dal Volunteers

POONA, May 31.

Paying a tribute to the Seva Dal organisation Mr. B. G. Kher, Ex-Premier of Bombay, during the course of his address this evening to the volunteers of the Maharashtra Provincial Seva Dal camp which terminated here to-day exhorted the volunteers to go back to their respective places and justify the training they had received at the camp by mobilising the will of the people to carry out the constructive programme of the Congress of self-sufficiency and self-protection.

He asked them to observe strict discipline in their every-day life and do away with the false barriers of caste, creed and religion. Organisation and unity were the two factors of which the country was in sore need to-day and it was the duty of every volunteer of the Seva Dal to serve the country and its people by striving to attain these two ideals.

Mr. Kher left to-night for Kolhapur to preside over the Kolhapur State People's Conference to be held there on June first and second.—A. P.

Martial Law Declared In Hur Area

Military Commander To Control Civil Administration

NEW DELHI, June 1.

It is announced that Martial Law has been proclaimed to-day in the area of Sind afflicted by the criminal outrages of the Hurs.

Over a period covering more than six months, says a "communique" making the announcement, the Hurs have by wholesale murder, sabotage and dacoity, terrorised whole districts.

The means available to the civil authorities have failed to cope with the situation because of the fanaticism of these followers of the Pir Pagaro and the terror they inspire in their victims who are too cowed to bear witness against them.

A special force of troops was recently despatched to aid the civil power in restoring order in the area roughly lying to the east of the Indus between Reti, Hyderabad and Mirpurkhas.

The Military Commander has instructions to take all steps to restore civil security and order with all possible speed. To this end he has proclaimed Martial Law which will enable summary justice to be enforced by special courts against the Hurs.

Complete control of the civil administration rests with the Military Commander who will have the advice and assistance of the civil authorities in the area concerned.

Any operations necessary to deal with the situation will be under the general direction of the Commander of the Sind Military District and official information on any action taken will be issued direct from General Headquarters.

The declaration of martial law over the area, which is roughly 250 miles by 120, is, according to a military spokesman, made in consultation with the Sind Government, who in fact wished that the Military Commander should take control. It is recalled that the Premier, Khan Bahadur Allabux paid a flying visit to Delhi last week.

According to present estimates the process of restoring order in the area may be completed in about four or five months.

3 Jap Midget Submarines Destroyed

Plan To Attack Sydney Frustrated

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, June 1.

It is officially announced that in an attempted submarine raid on Sydney three enemy midget submarines are believed to have been destroyed.

One midget submarine was destroyed by gunfire and two by depth charges. The enemy attack was completely unsuccessful. The damage was confined to one small harbour vessel of no military value.—Reuter.

Enemy Knows Of Britain's Sternness

BERNE, June 1.

In an editorial designed to allay the fears that the British are about to invade the Continent, the editor of the "Frankfurer Zeitung admits that big British and American forces are assembled in Britain, Egypt, India, Near East, Ireland and Australia. "We have never doubted the sternness of the British war spirit", the editor says.—Reuter.

Sind Congressmen Consider Mahatma's Advice

KARACHI, June 1.

The Congress Party in the Sind Assembly met yesterday to consider the situation created by the Hurs in the province. The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Allahbux, Premier, attended the meeting by special invitation.

The deliberations were inconclusive, and the Congress Party is meeting again on June 6, when the advice tendered by Mahatma Gandhi in the "Harijan" to Congress members of the Sind Assembly, namely, to resign from the Assembly will also be considered.

Dr. Choithram P. Gidwani, President of the Sind Provincial Congress Committee, in a statement to the Press agrees with Gandhiji that the Congress members should quit the Sind Legislative Assembly and take to constructive work.—United Press.

SIND BY-ELECTION CANCELLED

KARACHI, June 1.

It is officially announced that bye-election to the Sind Legislative Assembly ordered earlier by the Government for Mirpurkhas constituency caused by the death of Sitaldas Perumal has now been cancelled.—A. P.

'BELIEVERS IN NON-VIOLENCE'

Four Convicted Pleaders Warned And Discharged By Lahore H. C.

LAHORE, June 1.

A Full Bench of the Lahore High Court administered warnings under the Legal Practitioners Act to four pleaders of the Punjab who had been convicted under the Defence of India Rules in connection with the Congress Satyagraha.

The respondents who appeared in the court in response to notices served on them by the High Court asking them to show cause why they should not be dealt with under the Legal Practitioners Act, submitted that they had not committed any offence which constituted moral turpitude or an offence connected with their profession. They added that they were believers in non-violence, were passive resisters and were opposed to all wars.

Their Lordships after hearing the explanations administered them warnings and discharged the rule 'nisi' issued against them.

In the case of Lala Hem Raj, Their Lordships restored the license which had been deposited with the District Judge following his conviction.—A.P.

ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED OBJECTIONABLE SPEECH

POONA, June 1.

Mr. Hiralal Joshi, a member of the Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, was arrested today under rule 38 (5) of the Defence of India Rules for an alleged objectionable speech which he delivered at Ahmednagar.—United Press.

INTIMIDATING GOVT. INTO RELEASING THEIR LEADER?

During the first three and a half months of 1942, it is learned after a series of acts of sabotage to communications in November and December 1941, the "Hurs" were responsible for 33 serious offences, 45 murders including several police officers, 25 cases of sabotage on the railway and telegraph lines and for injury to 33 other persons.

These crimes are part of an attempt by fanatical and notorious gangsters to intimidate the Government into releasing their leader.

It is known that on return from his previous deportation from the Province, Pir Pagaro expressed to his followers his strong disappointment that they did not protest against his removal and had not created trouble for Government by committing offences on the railways and otherwise. He told them that if he were ever removed again from Sind, he expected his followers to adopt these devices.—A.P.

GERMAN A.R.P. UNDER ARMED POLICE.

BERLIN, June 1.

The German Air-raid Precaution Service has been placed under the uniformed police and from now on will be known as "Air-Raid Precaution Police."—Reuter.

24,000 PILOTS A YEAR

LONDON, June 1.

The Commander of the United States Army Air Force, General Arnold, in his statement to a press conference to-day declared that the United States were turning out pilots at the rate of 24,000 yearly and that the number was being increased tremendously already.

American units would be working in Britain side by side with R.A.F. units although they would have their own airfields and own ground crews and communications.—Reuter.

Madagascar 'Dromes Bombed

Considerable British Air Activity Reported

PORT LOUIS (Mauritius), June 1.

A communique broadcast on Sunday afternoon from the Tananarive Headquarters gives first indication of activity over Madagascar during the past week.

The communique states: "There was considerable British Air Activity during Sunday, May 31 in the area of Ivato and an aerodrome was machine-gunned by two British machines.

One POTEZ 25 and one lorry were burned down despite anti-aircraft fire. Three gunners were wounded. One British machine appeared to have been hit.

Areas of de Vosto and Amborvie, both subsidiary aerodromes near Majunga, were also machine-gunned without loss of material damage."—Reuter.

SUBMARINE SUCCESSES IN MEDITERRANEAN

LONDON, June 1.

An Admiralty communique announces: "Our submarines have sunk another 12,000 tons of enemy supply ships in the Mediterranean. In addition, a medium-sized supply ship has been torpedoed and was afterwards seen to have been beached in a sinking condition and a large supply ship has been hit by a torpedo and seriously damaged."—Reuter.

FOOD FOR GREECE

CAIRO, June 1.

The Swedish-owned steamship "Hallaren" sailed from Haifa to Piraeus on Saturday morning carrying approximately 4,500 tons flour provided by the Allied Governments for the relief of Greece. The consignment will be distributed free and according to need and the destribution will be controlled and supervised by the Red Cross.—Reuter

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